

**Table 3.6 Residual Fuel Oil Supply and Disposition**

	Supply			Disposition			Stocks <sup>c</sup> Million Barrels
	Total Production	Imports	Crude Oil Used Directly <sup>a</sup>	Stock Change <sup>b</sup>	Exports	Product Supplied <sup>a</sup>	
	Thousand Barrels per Day						
1973 Average .....	971	1,853	17	-5	23	2,822	53
1974 Average .....	1,070	1,587	13	17	14	2,639	d 60
1975 Average .....	1,235	1,223	15	d -2	15	2,462	74
1976 Average .....	1,377	1,413	17	-5	12	2,801	72
1977 Average .....	1,754	1,359	13	48	6	3,071	90
1978 Average .....	1,667	1,355	13	1	13	3,023	90
1979 Average .....	1,687	1,151	12	15	9	2,826	96
1980 Average .....	1,580	939	12	-10	33	2,508	d 92
1981 Average <sup>e</sup> .....	1,321	800	48	d -37	118	2,088	78
1982 Average .....	1,070	776	48	-32	209	1,716	d 66
1983 Average .....	852	699	-	d -55	185	1,421	49
1984 Average .....	891	681	-	12	190	1,369	53
1985 Average .....	882	510	-	-7	197	1,202	50
1986 Average .....	889	669	-	-8	147	1,418	47
1987 Average .....	885	565	-	(s)	186	1,264	47
1988 Average .....	926	644	-	-8	200	1,378	45
1989 Average .....	954	629	-	-2	215	1,370	44
1990 Average .....	950	504	-	13	211	1,229	49
1991 Average .....	934	453	-	4	226	1,158	50
1992 Average .....	892	375	-	-20	193	1,094	43
1993 Average .....	835	373	-	4	123	1,080	44
1994 Average .....	826	314	-	-6	125	1,021	42
1995 Average .....	788	187	-	-13	136	852	37
1996 Average .....	726	248	-	24	102	848	46
1997 Average .....	708	194	-	-15	120	797	40
1998 Average .....	762	275	-	12	138	887	45
1999 Average .....	698	237	-	-25	129	830	36
2000 Average .....	696	352	-	1	139	909	36
<b>2001</b> January .....	809	458	-	31	160	1,075	37
February .....	743	401	-	44	200	901	38
March .....	750	313	-	20	183	860	39
April .....	817	316	-	21	185	927	40
May .....	786	339	-	46	246	833	41
June .....	783	313	-	19	209	867	42
July .....	639	309	-	-82	158	872	39
August .....	622	264	-	-132	214	805	35
September .....	653	202	-	72	161	621	37
October .....	710	198	-	33	139	736	38
November .....	685	233	-	33	209	676	39
December .....	655	200	-	60	231	565	41
<b>Average</b> .....	<b>721</b>	<b>295</b>	-	<b>13</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>2002</b> January .....	621	170	-	18	138	636	42
February .....	612	106	-	-89	171	637	39
March .....	607	177	-	-152	171	764	34
April .....	600	257	-	6	159	692	35
May .....	582	223	-	-23	160	667	34
June .....	539	204	-	-38	165	616	33
July .....	564	193	-	27	171	559	34
August .....	582	209	-	-53	272	572	32
September .....	607	205	-	35	200	576	33
October .....	593	169	-	22	153	586	34
November .....	646	317	-	67	160	735	36
December .....	641	258	-	-142	205	835	31
<b>Average</b> .....	<b>599</b>	<b>208</b>	-	<b>-27</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>2003</b> January .....	R 660	R 280	-	R -1	R 231	R 710	31
February .....	E 701	E 300	-	E 11	E 52	E 938	E 31
<b>2-Month Average</b> .....	<b>E 679</b>	<b>E 289</b>	-	<b>E 4</b>	<b>E 146</b>	<b>E 818</b>	<b>E 31</b>
<b>2002 2-Month Average</b> .....	<b>617</b>	<b>140</b>	-	<b>-33</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>2001 2-Month Average</b> .....	<b>778</b>	<b>431</b>	-	<b>37</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>992</b>	<b>38</b>

<sup>a</sup> Beginning in January 1983, crude oil used directly as residual fuel oil is reported as crude oil product supplied on Table 3.2b rather than as residual fuel oil product supplied.

<sup>b</sup> A negative number indicates a decrease in stocks and a positive number indicates an increase.

<sup>c</sup> Stocks are at end of period.

<sup>d</sup> See Note 4 at end of section.

<sup>e</sup> See Note 3 at end of section.

R=Revised. - =Not applicable. E=Estimate. (s)=Less than +500 barrels per day and greater than -500 barrels per day.

Note: Geographic coverage is the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

Web Page: <http://www.eia.doe.gov/emeu/mer/petro.html>.

Sources: • **1973-1991:** Energy Information Administration (EIA), *Petroleum Supply Annual 1992*, Volume 1, May 1993, Table S6. • **1992 forward:** EIA, *Petroleum Supply Monthly*, March 2003, Table S6.